



# Year 1

The Flying Bull Academy

## Spring Term 1<sup>st</sup> half

This half term our topic is 'Paddington On Tour'! We will be focusing on the 'Paddington' story within our writing and linking this to our geography. We will keep practicing our previous learning throughout this half term and locating the countries of the United Kingdom on maps and globes. We will continue with lots of phonics and guided reading every day so please keep supporting your child at home.

### Reading

We will be doing daily phonics and reading. Please read with your child every day to practice their skills.

### Writing

Our writing will be focused on basic sentence skills through the story 'Paddington', applying our phonics as well.

### Maths

This term we will be focusing on counting, place value, addition and subtraction within 20 and shape, as well as rehearsing number bonds within 10.

### Science

We will continue to look at the seasons, learn about the basic body parts and senses, as well as sorting and grouping animals.

### Physical Education

Our PE is 'Skip to the Beat and' and 'Story Time Dance'. Please ensure your child has the correct PE kit on every Thursday and Friday.

### LIFE

Rules and 'My Happy Mind'

### ROB

Remembering

### Art

Flora and Fauna

### D&T

Focus for next half term.

### Computing

Digital Painting and continuing to practice logging on to the computers and using a mouse.

### Music

We will be using Charanga for our lessons.

### MFL

Basic greetings in French.

### Key dates:

Please keep an eye out via email and text for events in Year 1 this term, including a Phonics Check briefing for parents/carers, an exciting music festival opportunity and a chance to see your children's amazing work.

### Home learning:

- 10 minutes of reading at least 5 days per week
- 10 minutes of number bonds every day
- Little Wandle Spellings each week



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